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FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20580

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Re: FOIA-2013-00255  
Equifax, et al.

Dear Mr. Stoller:

This letter is in response to your December 17, 2012, request for Federal Trade Commission ("FTC") records. We notified you by letter dated February 1, 2013, that we were placing your request on hold because we had made many unsuccessful attempts to contact you to discuss a fee agreement. Because we have had no response from you, we have closed our file on the FOIA request. Closure of this file does not preclude you from submitting other requests in the future.

If you are not satisfied with this response to your request, you may appeal by writing to Freedom of Information Act Appeal, Office of the General Counsel, Federal Trade Commission, 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington D.C. 20580, within 30 days of the date of this letter. Please enclose a copy of your original request and a copy of this response. If you believe that we should choose to disclose additional materials beyond what the FOIA requires, please explain why this would be in the public interest.

If you have any questions about the way we handled your request or about the FTC's FOIA regulations or procedures, please contact Mark Peterson at (202) 326-3731.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Dione J. Stearns", is written over a large, stylized circular flourish.

Dione J. Stearns  
Assistant General Counsel